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**CONTINUING APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**  
**37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)**

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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing under the Continuing Application Procedure, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b); for a divisional application of prior application Serial No. 09/107,838, filed June 30, 1998, naming inventors Alan Herrod, James R. Fuccello, Don Schaefer, Steve Kramp, Eugene Joseph, Jackson He, and Arman Nikzad. The prior application is assigned of record to Symbol Technologies, Inc.. Enclosed for filing are 19 pages specification, 37 pages claims, 7 sheets drawings and one page of abstract. Also enclosed is a Request for Non-Publication

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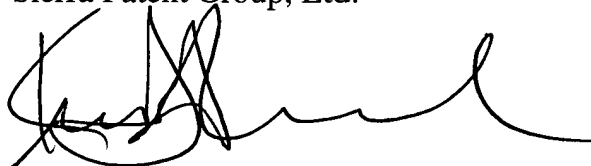
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Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,  
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